

Readopt with amendment 303.01 eff 2-14-02 (Doc #7646) to read as follows:

**Elec 303.01 Format and Subject Matter.**

(a) The first section of all journeyman and master examinations shall consist of 50 questions based on the [National Electrical Code, NFPA-70 as deescribed in Elec 404.01.] 2002 National Electrical Code, copyrighted by the National Fire Protection Association, NFPA-70-2002 and as of July 1, 2005 based on 2005 National Electrical Code, copyrighted by the National Fire Protection Association, NFPA-70-2005.

(b) The second section of the journeyman examination shall consist of 50 questions based on RSA 319-C, the board's administrative rules and on practical electrical installations as defined in RSA 319-C:2, III.

(c) The second section of the master examination shall consist of 50 questions based on practical electrical installations as defined in RSA 319-C:2, III.

(d) Practical questions shall be based on the American Electricians Handbook published by McGraw-Hill, current edition.

(e) The master examination shall have a third section consisting of 25 questions based on RSA 319-C and the board's administrative rules.

(f) The relicensing examination shall consist of 20 questions based the National Electrical Code as described in Elec 303.01(a).

(g) All questions on the National Electrical Code shall be based on the National Electrical Code as described in Elec 303.01(a).

Readopt with amendment 303.03 eff 2-14-02 (Doc# 7646) to read as follows:

**Elec 303.03 Date and Notification.**

(a) The master and journeyman examinations shall be held, subject to availability, at Richard M. Flynn Fire Academy on the third week in January, April, July, and October of each calendar year, beginning at 9:00 a.m. The journeyman examination shall be on the third Monday and/or Tuesday and the master examination shall be on the third Wednesday and/or Thursday. Each applicant shall be notified confirming the time and place of the examination. Notification shall be to the address as submitted on the application.

(b) Any applicant who fails to achieve the passing grade of 70% on all sections of the master or journeyman examination may sit for one reexamination [without additional fee within one year of the initial examination,] and retake only the section(s) failed upon reapplication and payment of the fee established by Elec 305.05. Thereafter, each examination shall require reapplication, payment of the fee established by Elec 305.05 and shall consist of the entire examination.

(c) The relicensing examination shall be held, subject to availability, at Richard M. Flynn Fire Academy or the electricians' board office, by appointment. Each applicant shall be notified confirming the time and place of the examination. Notification shall be to the address as submitted on the application.

Readopt with amendment 401.01 eff 8-16-02 (Doc# 7744) to read as follows:

**Elec 401.01 Time Limit.**

(a) Any master or journeyman electrician whose license is not renewed within one year of the expiration date shall apply and pass a relicensing examination or apply as for an initial license.

(b) The applicant shall provide the following on or with the application:

- (1) The information and materials required pursuant to Elec 301.01;
- (2) A statement of previous licensure including dates of licensure and previous license number; and
- (3) Proof of continuing education as required by this section.

(c) A relicensure applicant [missing up to 3 license periods] whose license has lapsed between 1 and 3 years shall take a 15 hour course on the National Electrical Code as described in Elec 403.01.

(d) A relicensure applicant [missing up to 6 license periods] whose license has lapsed between 4 and 6 years shall meet the requirement in (c) and:

(1) Take a 45 hour course on the National Electrical Code as described in [Elec 404.01] Elec 303.01(a); or

(2) Show proof of working as an electrician, licensed as required, in another jurisdiction.

(e) A relicensure applicant [missing up to 10 license periods] whose license has lapsed between 7 and 10 years shall:

(1) Take a 90 hour course on the National Electrical Code as described in [Elec 404.01] Elec 303.01(a); or

(2) Show proof of working as an electrician, licensed as required, in another jurisdiction and meet the requirement in (c).

(f) A relicensure applicant whose license has lapsed over 10 years shall show proof of working as an electrician, licensed as required, in another jurisdiction and meet the requirement in (c).

Readopt with amendment 305.02 eff 8-16-02 (Doc# 7744) to read as follows:

**Elec 403.01 Education for Licensees.**

(a) Each journeyman or master electrician shall submit proof of 15 hours of classroom instruction on the [2002] 2005 edition of the National Electrical Code, [NFPA-70 2002] NFPA-70-2005, for license renewal in [2003] 2006. Such proof shall be submitted with the licensee's renewal fee in [2003] 2006. Only courses completed on the [2002] 2005 edition of the National Electrical Code changes shall be recognized as meeting this requirement.

(b) Education providers shall supply the board with a code course outline and instructor(s) qualifications, for each code cycle, which include:

- (1) All of the significant changes made in the National Electrical Code NFPA-70;
- (2) Instructors names and resumes;
- (3) Number of days and number of hours per day over which courses will be given; and
- (4) The location(s) of the courses.

(c) Courses shall be reviewed by the board or a committee designated by the board who shall then make a recommendation to the board.

(d) The board shall approve courses meeting the requirements of Elec 403.01(a) and (b).

Readopt with amendment 404.01 eff 8-16-02 (Doc# 7744) to read as follows:

**Elec 404.01 Compliance with Electrical Code.** All electrical installations, performed by persons licensed by or who have apprentice or trainee identification cards from the board shall comply with [the 1999 National Electrical Code, copyrighted by the National Fire Protection Association, NFPA-70-1999. As of July 1, 2002, all electrical installations, performed by persons licensed by, or apprentices or trainees registered with, the board shall comply with the 2002 National Electrical Code, copyrighted by the National Fire Protection Association, NFPA-70-2002.] RSA 155-A:1 IV.